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City of Covington Police Services Report

Second Quarter 2003

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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Adult Arrests

An arrest is counted every time an adult is cited for a criminal offense or booked. More specifically:
1. It includes all adult bookings, plus
2. All adult citations which are classified as criminal non-traffic.
3. When an adult is both cited and booked, it is only counted once.

Cases Cleared /Clearance

The solving of an offense by arrest, or in some circumstances, by exceptional means (the suspect died, is imprisoned on another charge, victim refuses to testify, etc.).

CASE CLOSURE DEFINITIONS

Cleared by Arrest:

A case can be closed by arrest when at least one suspect is positively identified and charges are recommended to the Prosecuting Attorney's Office. This closure does not require physical booking into a jail or juvenile detention facility. It also does not require the charging of all suspects, if there are multiple suspects in the crime. This category includes criminal citations into district and municipal courts for misdemeanors and felony filings into Superior Court, as well as all filings into Juvenile Court.

Exceptional Clearance:

A case can be closed "exceptional" if it can be established that a crime has been committed and the identity of a suspect is positively confirmed, but due to circumstances beyond our control, no charges are filed. An example of this type of closure is a case in which the victim declines to assist in prosecution. Another example is when another police agency files charges on a related crime stemming from the same incident. (Car stolen in King County, but suspect arrested out of the stolen car in Bellevue. Bellevue P.D. charges the suspect with possession of the stolen car. We close the stolen car case "exceptional.")

Unfounded:

Cases are closed as "unfounded" when the investigation reveals that no crime has been committed. An example would be the report of a theft by one party that is determined to be a false report by interviewing other independent witnesses

Administrative Clearance:

This clearance is used primarily to close non-criminal police investigations like found property. For instance, if a citizen finds and turns over to police a wallet. Investigations reveals who the owner of the wallet is and the item is returned to that person.

Inactive:

This category is used when all investigative leads are exhausted and the case can not be closed by any of the above classifications.

Dispatched Calls for Service

This includes calls received in the Communications Center which result in one or more patrol cars being dispatched.

Domestic Violence

Domestic Violence is a subcategory to other crimes. Virtually any crime can by classified as domestic violence. In the State of Washington, Domestic Violence is defined as a crime of violence against the person or property of a spouse, former spouse, persons related by blood or marriage, persons who have a child in common, former/current roommates, persons who have or had a dating relationship, and persons related to the suspect by the parent-child (biological or legal) relationship. In some cases, the age of the victim or suspect may determine whether or not the legal definition above is met.

Part I Offenses

This category is commonly known as the "Crime Index." Crimes include criminal homicide (which includes murder and non-negligent manslaughter; but excludes deaths by negligence, attempts to kill, suicides, accidental deaths, justifiable homicide and traffic fatalities), forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault (which excludes simple assaults), burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft and arson.

Violent Crimes (Part 1)

These are a subclassification of Part I Offenses which encompass murder and non-negligent manslaughter, rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

Part II Offenses

This category includes all other crime classifications outside those defined as Part I. Crimes include other assaults (simple), forgery and counterfeiting, fraud, embezzlement, stolen property (buying, receiving and/or possessing), vandalism, weapons (carrying, possessing, etc.), prostitution and commercialized vice, sex offenses (except forcible rape, prostitution or commercial vice...i.e. statutory rape, indecent exposure, etc.), drug violations, gambling, offenses against the family and children, driving under the influence, liquor violations, drunkenness, disorderly conduct, etc.

Response Times/Priorities

Priority X - Critical Dispatch. This category is used for those calls that pose an obvious threat to the safety of persons. Examples include shootings, stabbings and in-progress crimes such as robberies or burglaries where the possibility of a confrontation between a victim and suspect exists.

Priority 1 - Immediate Dispatch. This category is used for those calls that require immediate police action. Examples include silent alarms, injury traffic accidents, in-progress crimes or crimes that have just occurred where a suspect may still be in the immediate area.

Priority 2 - Prompt Dispatch. This category is used for those calls that could escalate to a more serious degree if not policed quickly. Examples include verbal disturbances and blocking traffic accidents.

Priority 3 - Routine Dispatch. This category is used for those calls where response time is not a critical factor. Examples include burglaries and larcenies that are not in progress, audible alarms, or other routine reports.

SE 240 ST

196 AV SE

SE 244

152 AV SE

SE WAX RD

180 AV SE

SE 248 ST

Soos Creek Park

SE 251 ST

Matteon Jr Hi

SE 252 ST

Crestwood Elem

18

SE 256 ST

SE 256 ST

148 AV SE

164 AV SE

172 AV SE

SE 256 ST

TIMBERLANE

210 AV SE

Kentwood Hi

Cedar Valley Elem

18

180 AV SE

212 AV SE

Jenkins Park

Jenkins Crk Elem

SE 272 ST

516

Cedar Heights Jr Hi

COVINGTON WY SE

SE WAX RD

Covington Storefront

SE 272 ST

Covington Elem

**City of Covington
Patrol District**

BOUNDARY NOTES

SE WAX RD - the roadway is in Covington

HY 18 - btwn 180 AV SE & 196 AV SE is in unincorporated KC

SE 240 ST - the roadway btwn 180 AV SE & 196 AV SE is in unincorporated KC

SE 272 ST - the roadway btwn 184 AV SE & 212 AV SE is in unincorporated KC

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CRIME SUMMARY

Part I Offenses	2nd Quarter 2002	2nd Quarter 2003	Percent Change	Crime Rate	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	2nd Quarter Cases Closed
Criminal Homicide	0	0	N/A	0.00	0	0
Forcible Rape (incl. Attempts)	2	2	0.0%	0.14	5	2
Robbery	0	2	N/A	0.14	4	1
Aggravated Assault	5	4	-20.0%	0.28	8	2
Burglary, Commercial	7	6	-14.3%	0.42	13	0
Burglary, Residential	15	23	53.3%	1.60	34	0
Larceny, over $250	40	29	-27.5%	2.01	69	1
Larceny, under $250	42	58	38.1%	4.03	115	8
Vehicle Theft	20	25	25.0%	1.74	51	3
Arson	2	5	150.0%	0.35	8	0
Total Part I Offenses	**133**	**154**	15.8%	**10.70**	**307**	**17**
Total Part II Offenses	**171**	**202**	18.1%	**14.03**	364	32

NOTE:

The crime rate is calculated on the basis of 1,000 people (i.e., number of crimes per 1,000 people). The population is 14,395.

ACTIVITY SUMMARY

	2nd Quarter 2002	2nd Quarter 2003	Percent Change	1/1/03 - 6/30/03
Dispatched calls for service	845	981	16.1%	1,830
Adult charges/arrests	71	100	40.8%	176
Juvenile charges/arrests	26	35	34.6%	79
Traffic enforcement	372	622	67.2%	1,195
Officers assaulted	0	0	N/A	0
Total gang-related incidents	1	0	-100.0%	4
Total domestic violence related incidents	29	48	65.5%	70
Hate crimes/malicious harassment reports	0	0	N/A	0

NOTE:

The domestic violence figures on this page include everything that is related to domestic violence: case reports, citations, follow-ups, assistance rendered to other agencies, FIR's made, etc. They may differ from the figures on page 6, which refer to case reports and citations only.

Part One Offenses

Criminal Homicide	0
Rape	1
Child Rape	1
Attempted Rape	0
Robbery, Highway	0
Robbery, Commercial	0
Robbery, Gas Station	0
Robbery, Chain Store	0
Robbery, Residence	0
Robbery, Bank	0
Robbery, Misc.	2
Robbery, Carjack	0
Assault, Firearm *	0
Assault, Knife	1
Assault, ODW	3
Assault, Hands	0
Commercial Burglary, FE	3
Commercial Burglary, NF	3
Commercial Burglary, ATT	0
Residential Burglary, FE	8
Residential Burglary, NF	11
Residential Burglary, ATT	4
Larceny, +$250	29
Larceny, -$250	58
Auto Theft	23
Truck-Bus Theft	0
Other Vehicle Theft	2
Theft Boat/RV	0
Arson Confirmed	5
Total	**154**

Part Two Offenses

Assault Fourth	30
Total Forgery/Fraud *	24
Stolen Property	0
Vandalism	49
Weapons Violations	1
Commercial Vice	0
Total Sexual Offenses *	1
Gambling	0
Total Family/Juvenile *	35
DWI	12
Liquor Violations	1
Disorderly Conduct	1
Kidnapping	0
Trespass	3
Opium, coke, etc.	1
Marijuana	4
Synthetic Narcotics	0
Other Narcotics	1
Hate Crimes	0
Viol. of Court Orders (Misd)	9
Viol. of Court Orders (Felony)	3
All other	27
Total	**202**

NOTES:

The data on this page includes the domestic violence data listed on page 6. Page 6 refers to domestic violence data only.

*A more detailed section of these categories is listed on page 10.

Larceny Offenses

Auto Parts & Accessories	14
Bicycles	7
Coin Operated Machine Device	3
Non-specific Category	12
Pickpocket	0
Purse Snatch	0
Shoplifting	23
Taken from Auto	22
Taken from Building	6
Total	**87**

Dispatched Calls for Service

2nd Quarter 2003	981

Response Times

Priority	Avg Time in Mins.
X	3.27
1	8.05
2	14.99
3	46.06

Domestic Violence: Part One Offenses	
Criminal Homicide	0
Rape	0
Child Rape	0
Attempted Rape	0
Robbery, Highway	0
Robbery, Commercial	0
Robbery, Gas Station	0
Robbery, Chain Store	0
Robbery, Residence	0
Robbery, Bank	0
Robbery, Misc.	0
Robbery, Carjack	0
Assault, Firearm	0
Assault, Knife	1
Assault, ODW	0
Assault, Hands	0
Commercial Burglary, FE	0
Commercial Burglary, NF	0
Commercial Burglary, ATT	0
Residential Burglary, FE	0
Residential Burglary, NF	0
Residential Burglary, ATT	0
Larceny, +$250	0
Larceny, -$250	1
Auto Theft	0
Truck-Bus Theft	0
Other Vehicle Theft	0
Theft Boat/RV	0
Arson Confirmed	0
Total	**2**

Domestic Violence: Part Two Offenses	
Assault Fourth	19
Total Forgery/Fraud	0
Stolen Property	0
Vandalism	1
Weapons Violations	0
Commercial Vice	0
Total Sexual Offenses	0
Gambling	0
Total Family/Juvenile	3
DWI	0
Liquor Violations	0
Disorderly Conduct	0
Kidnapping	0
Trespass	0
Opium, coke, etc.	0
Marijuana	0
Synthetic Narcotics	0
Other Narcotics	0
Hate Crimes	0
Viol. of Court Orders (Misd)	8
Viol. of Court Orders (Felony)	3
All other	3
Total	**37**

NOTE:

This page is a subcategory of page 5 and only refers to domestic violence incidents that produced a case report or citation.

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ADULT AND JUVENILE CHARGES, ARRESTS, AND CITATIONS

	Adult Felony	Adult Misdemeanor	Juvenile Felony	Juvenile Misdemeanor	Total Adults and Juveniles
Criminal Homicide	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	1	0	0	0	1
Robbery	1	0	1	0	2
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	0	0	1	0	1
Larceny	2	9	0	17	28
Vehicle Theft	2	0	3	0	5
Assault, Fourth	0	25	0	2	27
Arson	0	0	0	0	0
Counterfeiting/Forgery	1	0	0	0	1
Fraud	0	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	1	1	0	0	2
Vandalism	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons Violations	0	0	0	0	0
Prostitution - Vice	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offense (No Rape)	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotics/Drug Violation	5	1	0	0	6
Marijuana	0	2	0	1	3
Gambling, Other	0	0	0	0	0
DWI	0	12	0	0	12
Liquor Violation	0	1	0	2	3
Disorderly Conduct	0	1	0	0	1
Other (except Traffic)	4	13	0	3	20
Traffic	2	16	1	4	23
TOTAL	**19**	**81**	**6**	**29**	**135**

NOTE:

Charges include all adults and juveniles booked, cited and charged in absentia. Charges do not include persons that are booked on warrants each quarter.

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Traffic Enforcement Activity

Violation	Patrol	Special Operations	TOTAL
Abandoned Vehicle	17	0	17
Accident, Injury	9	5	14
Accident, Non-injury	25	0	25
Accident, Fatal	0	0	0
D.U.I.	12	0	12
Physical Control	0	0	0
Hit & Run, Occupied Non-injury	5	0	5
Hit & Run, Unoccupied	10	0	10
Hit & Run, Injury	3	0	3
Incident, NSC (Other than accident)	0	0	0
Motorcycle Complaint	0	0	0
Negligent Driving	3	0	3
Other Moving Violation	52	42	94
Defective Equipment	8	0	8
Other Non-moving Violation	3	22	25
Off Road Vehicle/ATV Violation	1	0	1
Parking Violation	8	66	74
Pedestrian/Bicycle Violation	1	0	1
Reckless Driving	1	0	1
Speeding (Pace)	7	0	7
Speeding (Radar)	42	193	235
Traffic Complaint Investigation	18	9	27
Attempting to Elude (Felony Flight)	1	0	1
Control (Other than Fire)	0	0	0
Driving While License Revoked/Suspended	38	0	38
Operator's License Violations, Other	5	0	5
Seatbelt Violation	0	0	0
Vehicle License Violations	16	0	16
TOTAL	**285**	**337**	**622**

Summary of Traffic Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
DUI	12	14	19	35.7%
Moving/Hazardous	452	544	852	56.6%
Non-moving/Compliances	158	271	324	19.6%
TOTAL	**622**	**829**	**1,195**	**44.1%**

Traffic Accident Investigations

	2nd Quarter 2003	2nd Quarter 2002	Percent Change
Accident, Injury	14	12	16.7%
Accident, Non-injury	25	10	150.0%
Accident, Fatal	0	0	N/A
Hit & Run, Occupied, Non-injury	5	1	400.0%
Hit & Run, Unoccupied	10	5	100.0%
Hit & Run, Injury	3	1	200.0%

	2nd Quarter 2003	2nd Quarter 2002	Percent Change
Traffic Complaint Investigations	27	6	350.0%

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SPECIAL OPERATIONS

Air Support Unit (Helicopter) Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Number of Details	5	4	8	100.0%
Patrol (Flight) Hours	1.25	1.25	1.75	40.0%

K-9 Unit Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
K-9 Used on Calls	9	2	13	550.0%
Time Spent (Hours)	25.00	8.50	35.00	311.8%

Hostage Negotiations Team Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Hostage and Barricade Incidents	0	0	0	N/A

Bomb Disposal Unit Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Responses	0	0	2	N/A
Follow-ups	0	0	1	N/A

TAC-30 Unit Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Callouts	0	0	0	N/A

Department Ceremonial Unit Activity

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Callouts	0	0	0	N/A

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Major and Special Investigations Section

Assault Offenses

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Assault, Aggravated	0	4	2	-50.0%
Assault, Cutting	1	3	2	-33.3%
Assault, Handgun	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Handgun (Driveby)	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Long gun	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Long gun (Driveby)	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Other Firearm	0	2	0	-100.0%
Assault, Other Firearm (Driveby)	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Unknown Firearm	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, Unknown Firearm (Driveby)	0	0	0	N/A
Assault, ODW	3	1	4	300.0%
Assault, Simple	30	43	44	2.3%

Fraud Offenses

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Embezzlement	0	0	0	N/A
Extortion	0	0	0	N/A
Fraud, All other	15	22	33	50.0%
Fraud, UICD	1	4	1	-75.0%
Forgery Document	3	1	3	200.0%
Forgery Checks	2	13	4	-69.2%
Forgery Credit Cards	0	3	2	-33.3%
Computer Investigations	3	0	4	N/A
Consumer Fraud	0	0	0	N/A

Special Assault Offenses

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Rape	1	3	3	0.0%
Child Rape	1	1	1	0.0%
Attempted Rape	0	0	1	N/A
Child Molestation	0	2	0	-100.0%
Child Porn	0	1	0	-100.0%
Incest	0	0	0	N/A
Indecent Exposure	1	0	1	N/A
Indecent Liberties	0	1	2	100.0%
Sex Offense, NSC	0	0	0	N/A
Sexual Offender Registration	0	0	0	N/A
Sexual Offender Registration Violations	0	0	0	N/A
Sexual Offender Verification	0	0	0	N/A

Family/Juvenile Offenses

	2nd Quarter 2003	1/1/02 - 6/30/02	1/1/03 - 6/30/03	Percent Change
Child Abuse	1	1	3	200.0%
Child Neglect	0	2	1	-50.0%
Distrubance, Family	10	14	24	71.4%
Juvenile Disturbance	1	2	1	-50.0%
Juvenile Runaway	21	42	42	0.0%
Custodial Interference	2	8	5	-37.5%
Elderly or Dependent Abuse	0	0	0	N/A
Elderly of Dependent Neglect	0	0	0	N/A

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